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Dear Medicaid Provider:

The Department of Medical Assistance Services will be conducting seminars on Maternal and Child Health Services. The goal of the training is to enhance the awareness of the scope of Maternal and Child Health Services. We will define program and eligibility criteria, enrollment and service access from a variety of public health programs providing Maternal and Child Health treatment.

The seminar is recommended for staff from Health Department Clinics and Child Development Clinics, Department of Social Services Generic Services Employees, Hospital Case Managers and all Medicaid Case Managers for children and pregnant women.

Attached, you will find an **Agenda** as well as information on the seminar sites, along with dates, times and a Registration Form. **There is limited space available and registration will be handled on a first come, first served basis.** The completed Registration Form may be mailed or faxed, but must be received in our office **five (5)** business days prior to the scheduled session. **You will be contacted only if we are unable to accommodate your registration request.** It will **not** be possible to accept seminar registrations by phone.

If you require accommodations due to a physical handicap, please contact the Department of Medical Assistance Services at least two weeks prior to the seminar at (804) 786-1428. Reasonable accommodations will be provided upon request.

We look forward to your participation in our Medicaid Seminar. If you have any questions regarding these sessions, please call (804) 786-1428.

Sincerely,

Myra M. Smith
Trainer and Instructor III

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DMAS Maternal and Child Health Services Training

AGENDA

OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 2005

Morning

Maternal Health Services

Service Overview, Eligibility, Enrollment and Duration of Service for:

- ◆ **Family Planning Waiver**
- ◆ **BabyCare Program**
- ◆ **Resource Mothers Program**
- ◆ **Accessing WIC**
- ◆ **Lead Testing Requirements**
- ◆ **Bright Futures Web Based Training Module Intro/Update**

Afternoon

EPSDT:

- ◆ **EPSDT Screening Definition**
- ◆ **Vaccines for Children**
- ◆ **EPSDT Eligibility and Access to Services**
- ◆ **EPSDT Specialized Services, Pre-authorization, and Initiating Treatment**
- ◆ **Hearing Aides, Substance Abuse, Nursing, Personal Care, Assistive Technology**
- ◆ **EPSDT Criteria and Other Medicaid Services**

Billing

- ◆ **Medicaid Eligibility Verification /Completion of the CMS-1500**

Maternal and Child Health Services Information

Baby Care

Pregnant women who have low income are at high risk of poor birth outcomes need a variety of services to ensure they have healthy babies and the tools to become good mothers. BabyCare provides pregnant women with the support and services they need through intensive case management and coordination of care. The program aims to improve birth outcomes by ensuring pregnant women and infants up to age two, receive all the services they need. BabyCare may be provided through the local health district offices and a small number of private community organizations.

Resource Mothers

Mothers under the age of 19 have the highest rate of low birth weight babies and the highest rate of babies who died during the first weeks of life. Resource Mothers are lay community health workers who mentor pregnant teens and assist the teen throughout her pregnancy and up to the baby's first birthday. They are effective in decreasing infant deaths and disabilities and improving the health of pregnant teens and their infants through intensive home visiting.

EPSDT

The Early Periodic, Screening Diagnosis and Treatment Program is a Medicaid program for children up to the age of 21. The program aims to maintain child health with a preventive treatment approach. The program consists of EPSDT medical screenings, which include mandatory lead testing, immunizations, hearing screenings, vision screenings, and dental referrals.

Family Planning Waiver

The purpose of this waiver is to extend family planning services for up to 24 months following the end of pregnancy for women who received a Medicaid-funded, pregnancy-related service during their most recent pregnancy. Any woman enrolled as a Medically Indigent pregnant woman, who received a pregnancy-related service that was paid for by Medicaid on or after October 1, 2003, is automatically eligible for the waiver at the end of her Medicaid coverage and should be encouraged to visit her local Department of Social Services (DSS) office to ensure she has been enrolled.

Maternal and Child Health Services Training

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Tuesday October 4, 2005	Registration 8:30 am Seminar 9:00 am – 4:30 pm Lunch on your own	VA Beach Central Library Auditorium 4100 Virginia Beach Blvd. VA Beach, VA 23452
Friday October 7, 2005	Registration 8:30 am Seminar 9:00 am – 4:30 pm Lunch on your own	Chippenham Hospital Kraus Auditorium 7101 Jahnke Road Richmond, VA 23225
Tuesday October 18, 2005	Registration 8:30 am Seminar 9:00 am – 4:30 pm Lunch on your own	Central Virginia Training Center Bldg 49 - Davis Auditorium Route 372 Lynchburg, VA 24019
Wednesday November 2, 2005	Registration 8:30 am Seminar 9:00 am – 4:30 pm Lunch on your own	Virginia Highlands Community College Learning Resource Center Building 605 Abingdon, VA 24212
Thursday November 17, 2005	Registration 8:00 am Seminar 8:30 am – 3:30 pm Lunch on your own	Fairfax Government Center Auditorium 12000 Government Center Pkwy. Fairfax, VA 22035

Directions To The Training Sites

VA BEACH- Virginia Beach Central Library- Auditorium

(The entrance to the auditorium is on the right side of the Library).

From I-264 East- Take Independence Blvd. (towards Pembroke). Turn right onto Virginia Beach Blvd. (U.S. 58). The library will be on the left. There will be a Central Library sign.

RICHMOND-Chippenham Hospital – Kraus Auditorium

From the north: **I-95** south to **I-195 West**. Merge onto the **Downtown Expressway** (toll). Exit onto **Powhite Parkway** towards VA-150/VA-288/US-60. Proceed on **Powhite Parkway** (toll) to the **Jahnke Road East** Exit. Bear right at the fork in ramp. Hospital will be on your right about ¼ mile.

From the south: **I-95** north to **Chippenham Parkway North**. Exit at **Jahnke Rd**, and turn right. Hospital is on the right. **Park in the Visitor and Employee Parking Area**. Enter through the entrance of Tucker Pavilion and take a right to Kraus Auditorium.

Lynchburg- Central Virginia Training Center- Davis Auditorium, Bldg. 49

From Rt. 29 - Take exit at Wright Shop Road/Central Virginia Training Center. Turn at the top of the ramp onto East Rt. 210, following it to CVTC grounds. When you enter the grounds, continue straight until you come to a fork and bear right. The second building on the right is Building 49. Signs will direct you to the auditorium.

ABINGDON-Virginia Highlands Community College – Learning Resource Center

Hwy. 81 to Exit 14 to Route 140 North (Jonesboro Road). Follow to Route 372 and turn right. Route 372 will lead to college campus. At the entrance to the campus, there is a map showing the buildings. Take first left turn. Presentation will be held in Building 605- Learning Resource Center. Please park in lots 4, 5 or 6.

FAIRFAX – Fairfax County Government Center- Auditorium- **SESSION WILL BEGIN AT 8:30 am**

From I-66, exit onto Fairfax County Parkway North (Route 7100, Exit #55B). Turn right onto Fair Lakes Parkway East. Turn right onto Monument Drive. Turn right onto Government Center Parkway. The Government Center is on the left.

From Route 50, exit on West Ox Road South (Route 608). Left turn at light on Monument Drive. Turn right at light onto Government Center Parkway. Government Center is on your left.

DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE SERVICES
Maternal and Child Health Services Training
REGISTRATION

PROVIDER NAME/NUMBER: _____

PROVIDER ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

FAX NUMBER: _____

EMAIL: _____

Location	NAME/TITLE OF REGISTRANT

Please return to:

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